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To: United States Patent and Trademark Office  
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Re: **Application Serial No.: 09/730,039**  
Filing Date: 12/5/2000; First-Named Inventor: Mohamed  
Attorney Docket No.: 00CON102P

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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Mohamed, et al.SERIAL NO.: 09/730,039 FILED: December 5, 2000FOR: Apparatus and Method for an Improved Performance VLIW ProcessorHONORABLE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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Dear Sir/Madam:

This is in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated December 29, 2005 in the above-referenced patent application. Please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks.